

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached replacement drawing sheet makes changes to Fig. 1 and replaces the original sheet with Fig. 1.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

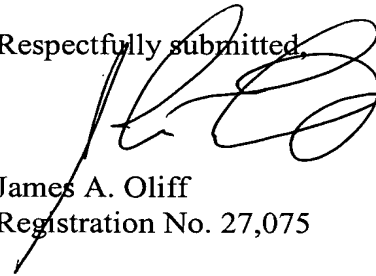
REMARKS

The drawings are objected to as failing to properly identify in the top margin "Replacement Sheet," as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.121(d). Attached is a Replacement Sheet for Fig. 1 with the annotation "Replacement Sheet" in the top right hand margin.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-36 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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